

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Ahuja et al.

Confirmation No.: 2489

Application Serial No.: 10/089,595

Group Art Unit: 1634

Filing Date: September 23, 2002

Examiner: Jehanne Sitton

For: *Screening for Disease Susceptibility by Genotyping the CCR5 and CCR2 Genes*

Date: June 19, 2007

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Commissioner for Patents

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Alexandria, VA 22313

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
(37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of two months to respond to the final Office Action dated January 19, 2007.

2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

☒ is filed herewith.

☐ has been filed.

3. Applicant:

☐ Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

☒ Does not claim small entity status.

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d)):

	<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee For Other Than Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee for Small Entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$120.00	\$60.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$450.00	\$225.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$1,020.00	\$510.00
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<input type="checkbox"/>	five months	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00

Fees Due \$450.00

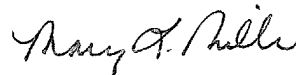
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☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0220 in the amount of \$1,240.00 (\$450.00 fee for a two-month extension of time and \$790.00 as payment of the a Request for Continued Examination for a large entity).

☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038) is enclosed.

☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 50-0220 for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted,



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